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25 X 1	MEMORANDUM FOR:	
		Chief, Career Trainee Division Chief, Washington Operations Training Staff
25 X 1	FROM:	Director of Training and Education
	SUBJECT:	Approval for Hiring Annuitants as Independent Contractors

As I have noted to each of you, I was notified by the Director of Personnel last week that the Executive Director had approved our request to hiring as Independent Contractors to work in support of operational training in the Washington whose cases have been area the three recent retirees of such concern recently. In my conversation with the Director of Personnel, he pointed out that the Executive Director had advised him that in the case of operational trainers, the Agency must take a somewhat liberal interpretation of the current restrictive policy of hiring recent retirees. This is good news for us and is evidence that Agency leadership is aware of the unique problems we face. It is of critical importance that we do nothing to jeopardize this position that has been taken by the Executive Director. Toward this end, I am going to look very carefully at each individual case involving the hiring of an annuitant as an Independent Contractor, and I will forward to the Director of Personnel only those cases where I am satisfied that the requirement is essential and that no alternate means of meeting this requirement is available. I ask that you apply the same standards in this decisionmaking process.

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